## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No: Q92969 In re application of Carlos DE BARROS, et al. Group Art Unit: 2883 Appln. No.: 10/566,376 Examiner: Jerry M BLEVINS Confirmation No.: 2092 Filed: April 16, 2008 SIGNAL PROPAGATION MODE(S)For: SUPPRESSON OF UNDESIRABLE DOWNSTREAM OF MODE CONVERTER RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2009, please consider the remarks as follows on the accompanying pages. TABLE OF CONTENTS REMARKS......2